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OUR BROADCAST OFFICER IS NOT FEELING VERY WELL THIS WEEK, SHE
WENT UP TO QUEENSLAND FOR A FEW DAYS AND HAS COME BACK WITH
WHAT WE USE TO CALL IN LONDON, THE DREADED LURGY, BUT MORE
COMMONLY CALLED THE FLU. SO I AM ONCE AGAIN YOUR BROADCAST
OFFICER THIS WEEK. HOWEVER DUE TO ONLY BEING TOLD APPROX 8 PM
ON FRIDAY, IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO GET THE IPS REPORT.

I HAVE RECEIVED THE PRELIMINARY RESULTS OF THE ANARTS WW RTTY
CONTEST FROM OUR CONTEST MANAGER. PLEASE BEAR IN MIND THAT
THESE ARE PRELIMINARY RESULTS AND ARE SUBJECT TO ONFIRMATION
WHEN THE CONTEST MANAGERS REPORT IS PUBLISHED.

HERE ARE THE FIRST FIVE PLACES IN THE WORLD IN EACH CLASS.
PLAQUES WILL BE SENT TO THE FIRST IN EACH CLASS, OTHER
STATION'S WILL RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE.

PLEASE NOTE THERE WERE ONLY 3 ENTREIS IN CLASS C.

CLASS A, SINGLE OPERATOR

PLACE	CALLSIGN	POINTS SCORED
1ST	UN5PR	5,191,870
2ND	OH2LU	4,247,844
3RD	HA2SX	4.216.196
4TH	K5DJ	4,037,680
5TH	DJ3IW	3,750,956

CLASS B, MULTI OPERATOR

1ST	OH3NE	5,138,640
2ND	VK6GOM	3,649,550
3RD	VE3FJB	1,677,040
4TH	VE7OR	1,206,068
5TH	VE6RAJ	865,186

CLASS C, SHORT WAVE LISTENER

1ST	ONL383	750,100
2ND	ONL3997	152,350
3RD	DE0GAH	40,432

CONTEST MANAGER JIM VK2BQS INFORMS ME THAT HE HAS ALMOST
COMPLETED THE RESULTS, JUST A FEW MINOR PLACES NEED CHECKING.

I WOULD LIKE TO RE-STATE SOME OF THE CONVENTIONS USED IN OUR VERSION OF THE DX NOTES APPEARING IN THESE BROADCASTS.

ONLY CERTAIN CHARACTERS, OTHER THAN THE ALPHABET AND FIGURES 1 TO 0, CAN BE USED IN RTTY, AND AMTOR. THEREFORE WE HAVE TO GET AROUND THE PROBLEM, ESPECIALLY THAT CAUSED BY EMAIL AND INTERNET ADDRESSES. HERE ARE SOME EXAMPLES

1. INVERTED COMMA'S ARE SENT AS A SINGLE INVERTED COMMA,
   EXAMPLE : THE 'DX NEWS' REPORTS ETC ETC.
2. THE FUNNY LITTLE 'AT' SIGN (UPPERCASE FIGURE 2 ON A KEYBOARD). EXAMPLE : CDAVIES AT DSE.COM.AU
3. THE OTHER FUNNY LITTLE SIGN USED SOMETIMES IN INTERNET WEB PAGE ADDRESSES. IT LOOKS LIKE A SINE WAVE AND CAN BE FOUND ON YOUR KEYBOARD ON THE SAME LINE AS THE FIGURES, PLACED JUST IN FRONT OF FIGURE 1. THIS CHARACTER APPEARS IN OUR BROADCASTS AS : BRACKETS, TILDE BRACKETS.
   EXAMPLE : HTTP://WWW.CLINET/FI.(TILDE)JUKKA/RTTY.HTML

WHEN REPLYING TO AN EMAIL REPLACE THE WORD 'AT' WITH THE 'AT' SIGN.
WHEN CONNECTING TO A WEB SITE WITH A TILDE SIGN INSERTED, REPLACE THE (TILDE) WITH THE APPROPRIATE CHARACTER.

FINALLY A WORD ABOUT THE VK2SG DX NOTES. THE VAST MAJORITY OF THE REPORTS ARE RTTY. OTHER RELATED MODES SUCH AS AMTOR, PACTOR AND CLOVER, HAVE THE MODE INSERTED AFTER THE CALLSIGN. (LOOK AT THE ENTRY FOR VQ9SS AT 1329 ON TUES, THIS BULLETIN). SSTV REPORTS ARE NOW BEING INCLUDED, BUT IF YOU LOOK AT THE FREQUENCY OF THESE ENTRIES YOU WILL NOTE IT IS OUTSIDE THE NARROW BAND ALLOCATION.
ENTRIES REFERRING TO HF PACKET STATIONS ARE NOT INCLUDED.

73S FOR THIS WEEK DE COL VK2CTD.

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VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 5, 1997.

Our information this week came from DJ3IW and the Central Europe DX Cluster DB0SPC, I5FLN and the IK5PWJ Packetcluster, OH2BUA WebCluster, W5KSI, WB2CJL, WX5L, W6OTC, K8SM, 9Q5PA, QRX DX, DXNS, OPDX/BARF80, and the NJ0M node of the Twin Cities DX Packetcluster Network.

Bandpass:
Friday 29
0052-14085 EA8KG
0130-14086 UN5PR
0130-14079 ZP6CC
0132-14081 LU6FJZ
0132-14084 XE1J
0839-14083 YL2DX
0846-14086 RW9FZ
1240-14083 ER27A
1306-14081 YO5HP
1314-21085 7Q7EH
1402-14085 A92GE
1509-21340 HA9RU SSTV
1648-14081 KH0/JA1YEM
1651-14081 SU1SK
1805-14080 EA6ES

1826-14089 UA2AO
1827-14089 5A1A/OE2GRP Demo QSO
1833-14085 SX2THE
1832-14081 EM1KA
1915-14082 HB0/DL2SB
1918-14089 OM5XX
1919-14088 OY4TN
1924-14084 4X6UO
1927-14078 9Q5PA See Note
1935-14083 HB0/DL2SBY
2041-14078 5N3TDR
2057-14081 ZP5KW
2101-14085 SX2THE
2207-14085 LU5FIL
2250-14080 J6/PA3ERC

Saturday 30
0120-14084 VK3JW
0158-14078 PT2BW
0201-14082 UN5PR
0640-14087 VK2KM
0749-14083 VK3AKH Reversed
0753-14087 SX2THE
0851-14085 YI1DX
0912-14081 ER27A
1042-14235 KH0/JA2BWH SSTV
1042-21085 UN5PR
1118-14083 CU3KH
1151-14083 J6/PA3ERC
1241-21085 7Q7EH
1246-14085 ER27A
1257-14082 YV1GYA
1259-14087 UA4RZ
1344-14088 VK8HA
1423-14081 UA6JBQ
1512-21345 ZS6RVG SSTV
1520-14077 YI1US
1522-14084 BV7WB
1548-14087 ES7AAZ
1551-14086 YO2BEH
1615-14090 BV5GQ
1647-14081 SU1SK
1655-14086 A71A
1656-14085 3DA0CA
1814-14087 ZD7DP
1818-14084 UT0I
2101-14086 ER27A
2145-14084 9Q5PA
2149-14088 RA2FZ
2219-14080 ER1PK

Sunday 31
0012-14085 EA8KG
0216-14084 VU2KSR
0718-14088 SX2THE
0931-21340 BY9GA SSTV
0931-14083 SV5BYP
1042-14083 ER27A
1251-14086 EX0V
1313-14087 BV7WB
1314-18103 KH0/JA1YEM
1501-14085 BV2KI
1523-14085 9G1UW

1546-14085 SU1SK
1557-14086 BV2KI
1616-14087 OD5NJ
1710-14084 EM1KA
1742-14088 3DA0CA
1752-14080 9H1BV
1725-14085 AP2TJ
1806-14083 Z21CA
1822-14087 3DA0CA
1823-14083 ER27A
1917-14088 5A28
2105-14086 KH6TL
2109-14079 EU7SA
2122-14088 LW2DFM
2130-14079 EU7SA
2130-14085 5A28
2132-14086 VK3KM
2133-14090 EA8KK
2136-14089 LW2DFM
2229-14086 VK2KM

Monday 1
0204-14086 UN7GBL
0644-14088 RW9FZ
0805-14085 9H4CM
1003-14084 9A4EM
1004-14086 9X/RW3AH
1008-14083 5A28
1123-14083 5A28
1124-14082 9Y4/PA3ERC
1159-14083 5A28
1404-14084 5A28
1543-14084 RW9FZ
1556-14089 EA8KG
1559-14065 VQ9SS
1602-14083 4L8A
1604-14084 YI1DX
1726-14085 4L8A
1801-14080 5H3HG
1901-14083 JW1ZIA
1910-14083 KP4NV
1916-14089 OY4TN
1936-14091 YI1US
2019-21085 9Y4/PA3EWP
2039-14080 ER3KS
2042-21087 OA4DHW
2047-14083 WP4Q
2106-14087 ZP5KW
2110-14084 EU7SA
2126-14087 RA2FB
2219-14080 OE2BZL
2235-14089 EA8KK
2143-14082 CN8AT
2244-14086 EI5IF
2247-14083 UX0KN
2342-14082 9Y4/PA3BBP

Tuesday 2
0038-14081 XE1J
0644-14088 RW9FZ
0920-14081 JW1ZIA
0959-14081 5A28
1029-14086 ER1PK

1126-14086 JW1ZIA
1133-14083 9Y4/PA3EWP
1149-14086 ES7AAZ
1154-14086 ES7NFM
1205-14087 9A4EM
1208-14085 5A28
1306-14086 BV2KI
1322-14082 UN6PR
1329-14065 VQ9SS Pactor
1353-14084 YB5QZ
1430-14233 HL2KV SSTV
1458-21084 ZS4GL
1642-14079 JW1ZIA
1601-14083 5A28
1700-14081 JW1ZIA
1713-14083 5A28
1819-14085 KP4JT
1820-14083 9Y4/PA3ERC
1831-14082 ER3KS
1836-14079 Z31GX
1918-14236 ZS6BID SSTV
2019-14083 5A28
2041-14084 ZD7DP
2050-14081 ZD7WRG
2130-14083 5A28 QRT until Wed.
2134-14084 UT2IM
2136-14083 EU7SA
2231-14088 EA8KK
2247-14080 JW1ZIA
2257-14084 ZD7TT
2259-14082 GI0KOW
2304-14080 JW1ZIA
2358-14080 JW1ZIA

Wednesday 3
0016-14080 JW1ZIA
0025-14085 LU2HNZ
0101-14086 UN5PR
0220-14083 AP2TJ
0941-14081 5A28
1137-21078 5A28
1219-14089 EA9JI
1249-14087 9Y4/PA3ERC
1254-14085 ER1PK
1307-14087 9Y4/PA3ERC
1412-14083 YB5QZ
1435-14079 JW1ZIA
1548-14086 4S7NR
2103-14090 EA8KK
2111-14084 YI1DX
2119-14084 ZD7DP
2122-14082 EA9JZ
2227-14079 5A28
2303-14079 5A28
2358-14079 5A28

Thursday 4
0002-14085 EA8AG
0015-14080 5A28
0107-21083 VK3AMX
0119-14080 5A28
1258-14089 UT2IZ
1335-14081 HS2CRU

1418-14081 HS2CRU
1555-14088 YB4JIM

Notes of Interest:

CAMEROON, TJ - Mark, TJ1US (ex-J5UAI) will try to keep the following Friday schedules: 1800-2100 14085 RTTY, 2100-2130 10104 CW, 2130-2200 14050 CW 0200-0400 7020 CW, and 0400-0500 3510 CW. QSL to NW8F.

MIDWAY Is., KH4 - The group operating from Kure (see below) may again activate Midway for a few days, following the KH7 operation.

MOLDOVA, ER - Chris, K4PC will be in Moldava 27 Sep. He hopes to obtain a license for operating CW/SSB/RTTY.

NEPAL, 9N - Rich 9N1RHM has promised to try to be QRV on RTTY for EU and NA when propagation permits. QSL via KV5V.

SAINT MARTIN, FS - If you still need this country, look for Eddie FS/EA3NY during the CQ WW RTTY Contest 27-28 Sep.

The VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES are also available on the Internet at reflector digital-d at st.rim.or.jp and the OH2BUA WebCluster at URL http://www.clinet.fi/(tilde)jukka/rtty.html

For next week's bulletin, send your bandpass and notes of interest to Randy, WX5L at W5KSI.(hash)NOLA.LA.USA.NA or by e-mail to wx5l at I-10.net .

73, good hunting de Jules W2JGR at W5KSI.(hash)NOLA.LA.USA.NA
e-mail: w2jgr at millcomm.com

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EXCEPTS FROM THE ARRL DX NEWS NR 038

This week's bulletin was made possible with information provided by Tedd, KB8NW, the OPDX Bulletin, Nikolai, UA9KM, QRZ DX, The 599Rpt, The Daily DX, The DXNS and Contest Corral from QST. Thanks to all.

WALLIS ISLAND, FW. Marcel, ON4QM, will be QRV from Sep 8 til Mid Nov. Callsign is unknown at this time. He will be active on 40 to 10 meters using SSB. He hopes to be active from Futuna Island for one week as well. QSL to home call.

ANTARCTICA. Roman, EM1KA, will be QRV from the Ukrainian research base at Vernadsky for another year. There is the possibility of some 6 meter operation from here. He is regularly QRV on 1827 khz at 0400z. QSL via JA2JPA.

SVALBARD, JW. Carlos, LA9PJA, will be QRV in Sep as JW9PJA. He will operate using CW, SSB, RTTY and PACTOR. There is also the possibility of some SSTV and satellite operation. QSL to home call.

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EXCERPTS FROM THE OHIO/PENN BULLETIN NR 321.

Thanks to the Northern Ohio Amateur Radio Society, Northern Ohio DX Association, Ohio/Penn PacketCluster Network, WA1S, N2AU, WB2YQH and WB2RAJ The 59(9) DXReport W3UR and The Daily DX, K4MZU, K4PC, W4WX, K7ON, K7BV, K8XP, AH0W/OH2LVG, DL7IO, EA3ELM, EA4DX, G3USF, G4BUE and DX News Sheet, OZ1LQH, T93Y and VK3EW for the following DX information.

3D2, FIJI. Ron ZL1AMO is once again active from here as 3D2RW His length of stay is unknown and he can usually be found on CW (but he does work some SSB). Look for activity on all bands, especially the WARC bands. QSL via CBA.

8R, GUYANA. The 'DX News Sheet' reports that Tere (YL op and ex-XE1ASF and YJ8AS) will be active for the next two years as 8R1ASF. Her activity will be on 40-10 meters, including the WARC bands. QSL via XE1MD.

C6, BAHAMAS. Jon, EA2KL, and Lluis, EA3ELM, members of LYNX DX Group, will be active from Abaco (IOTA NA-080), from Nov 1-8th as EA2KL/C6A and EA3ELM/C6A. Their operation will be on CW/SSB on all bands (including 12 and 17 meters). QSL via their home callsigns.

HF BEACON NETWORK UPDATE. Martin Harrison, G3USF, the IARU HF Beacon Coordinator, states the ZL6B beacon is now operational in the NCDXF/IBP worldwide network on 14100, 18110, 21150, 24930 and 28200 kHz. The beacon is located near Masterton, New Zealand and runs 100 watts stepping down to 100mw. Meanwhile, the 5Z4B beacon is once more operational on the same frequencies but the 4X6TU beacon still remain off the air with transmitter problems. Currently 16 of the planned 18 beacons in the worldwide network are now in place.

KH7K KURE ISLAND (Update). With only a few weeks away for this DXpedition to take place, Frank Smith, AH0W/OH2LVG, from the Midway-Kure DX Foundation (MKDXF), provided OPDX with the following update. The following operators will be active from Kure Island Sep 26th through Oct 4th:

UA3AB - Andy Chesnokov	SM0AGD - Erik Sjolund
KH7U - Kimo Chun	W0MY (ex W0RLX) - Burt Myers
JA3IG - Yuhi Yoshitani	N9NW - Michael Goode
K0EU - Randy Martin	AH0W/OH2LVG - Frank Smith

WEBSITE FOR DXERS/CONTESTERS. Dennis, K7BV, Editor of the National Contest Journal, reports the magazine now has a WEB Site. Dennis states the site keeps current with information regarding DXpeditions for contests coming up in the near and far future. The NCJ website can be found at: http://www.waterw.com/(tilde)ncj/xpedit.htm

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The Society may be contacted at : PO Box 860, Crows Nest 2065 Australia, for such matters as membership and general enquiries. Enquiries can also be made by packet to the President (Col) VK2CTD at VK2WI, or the Secretary (Pat) VK2JPA at VK2WI.

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